



# Northern Michigan Weather Briefing

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# Hazardous Weather Highlights

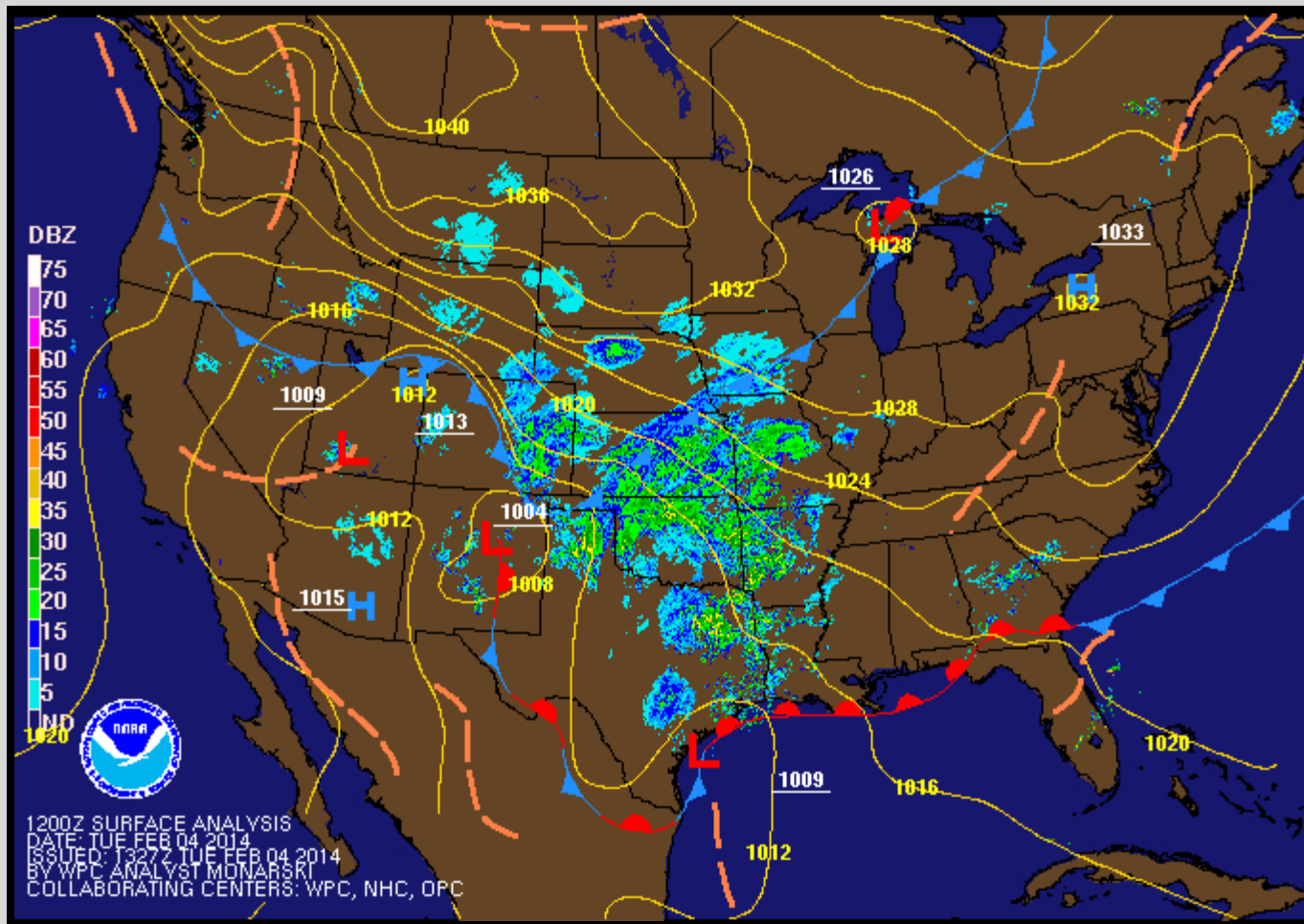
## Next 7 Days



What	Where	Timing	Impacts
<b>Light snow accumulations possible with storm system to our south</b>	South of M-55 (Impact mainly southern Michigan)	Tonight - Wednesday	Minimal
<b>Mainly nuisance light lake effect snow showers</b>	Favored snow belts	Several chances over the next 7 days	Minimal
<b>Ice Jams</b>	Northern Michigan	Anytime next 7 days	TBD



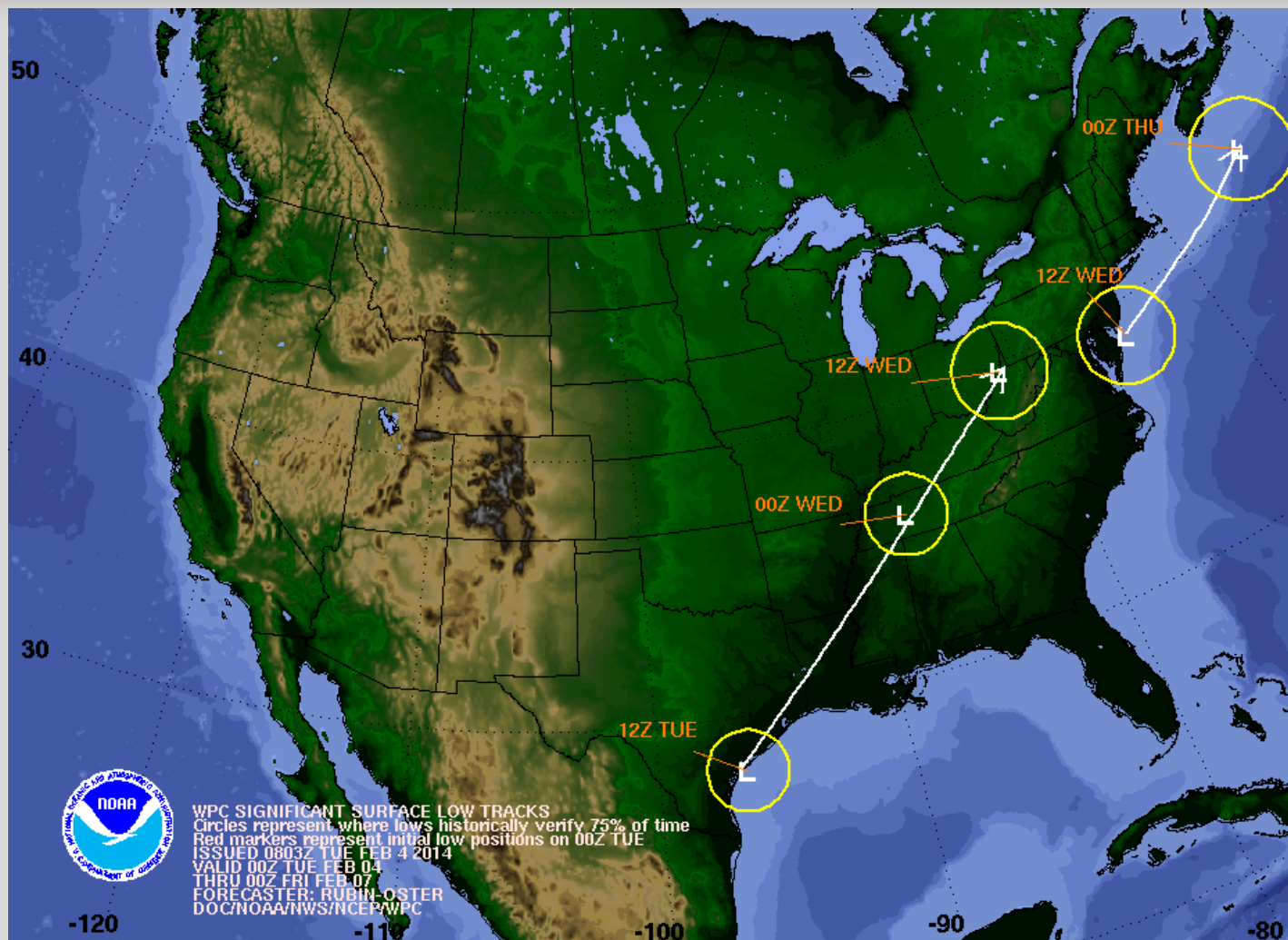
# Current Weather Map





# Main storm track well south

This keeps the weather fairly quiet in northern Michigan

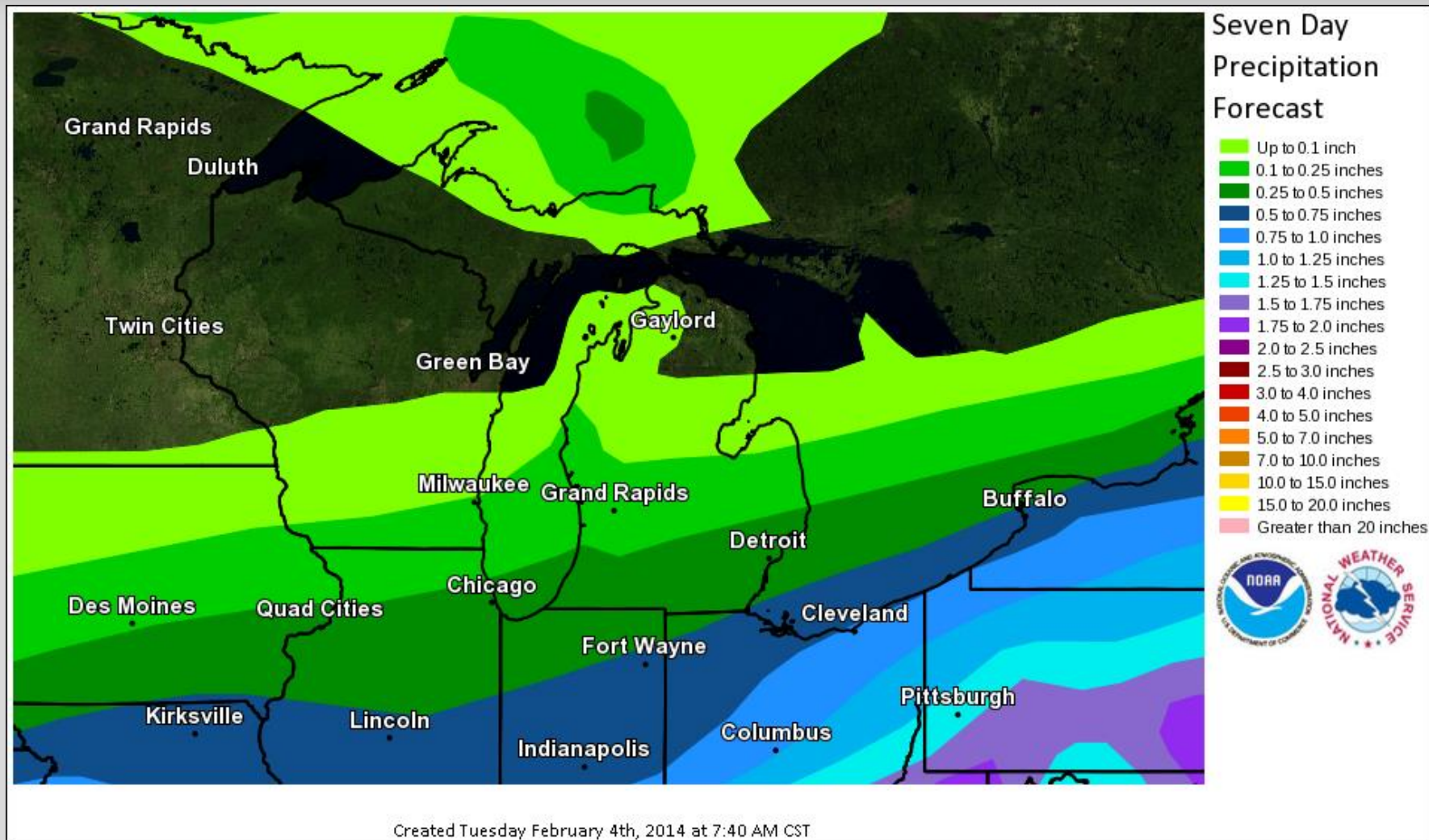






# 7-Day Precipitation Forecast

## Today through Monday

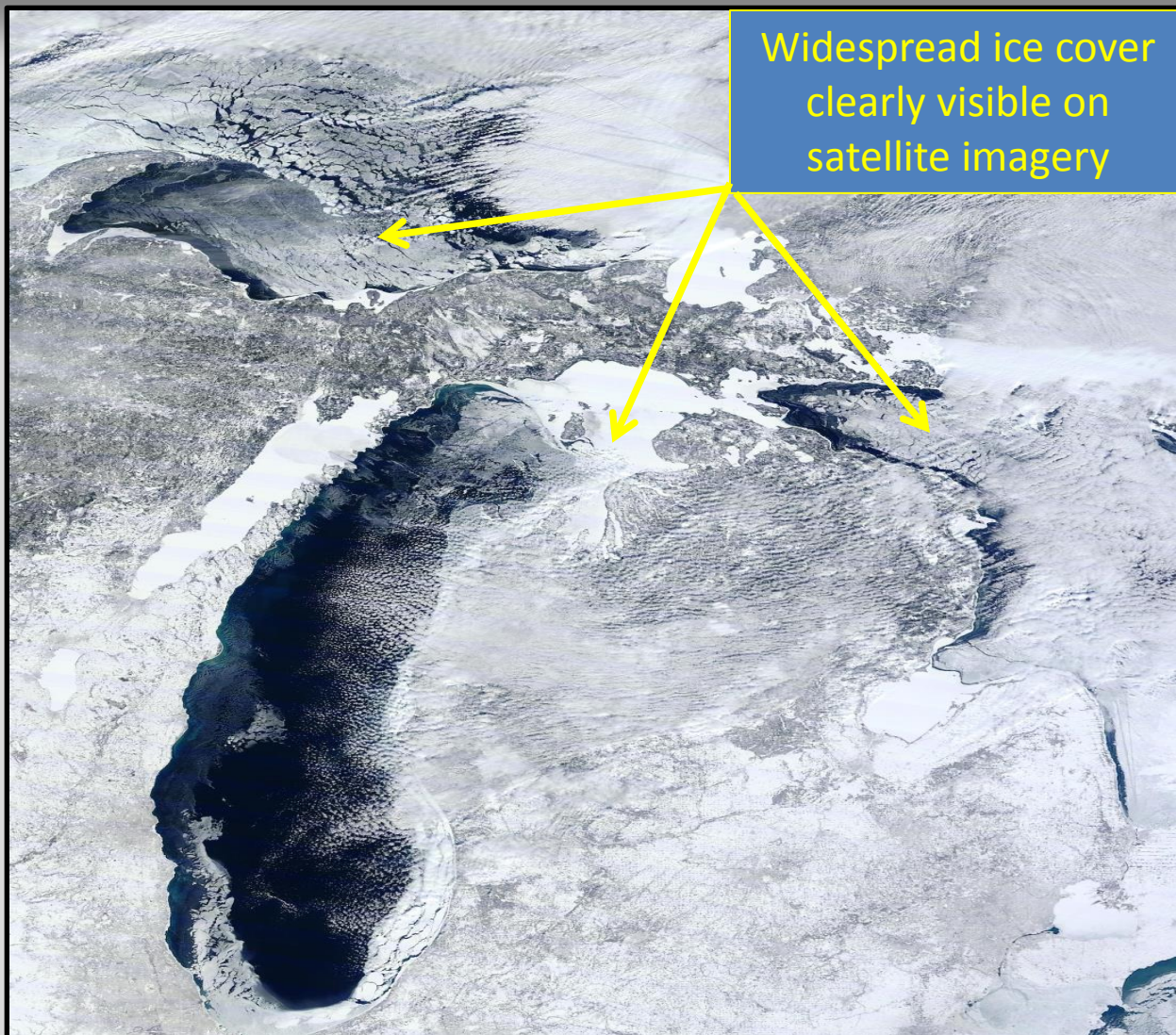






# Great Lakes ice growing quickly

## This will limit lake effect snow potential





# Web cams of the expanding ice cover



**Northern Lake Michigan  
Beaver Island**



**Northern Lake Huron  
Au Sable Point**








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Widespread ice cover clearly visible on satellite imagery

## Quiet Weather through the Weekend


Lack of Lake Effect With Increasing Ice Cover


### Weather Highlights


- Increasing ice cover on the Great Lakes means lake effect snows dwindle.
- Some chilly mornings, with temperatures at or below zero where skies clear. Some afternoon sun also expected at times through the weekend!
- Next two storm systems stay south of northern Michigan through early next work week.

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